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## **RUNNING MULTIPLAN**

At the Model 100 Main Menu, use the arrow keys to position the cursor over the Multiplan program name or over the name of a worksheet. Press (ENTER).

Press (F8) to return to the Model 100 MENU.

#### MOVING THE CELL POINTER

Direction Keys. Moves cell pointer in the direction indicated. Continue moving cell pointer to scroll contents of window.

CTRL

Home. Moves cell pointer to RICI.

End. Moves cell pointer to

lower right corner of the

lower right corner of the active portion of the

worksheet.

SHIFT +

Direction Key Page Scroll. Scroll to show

the next window of the worksheet in the indicated

direction.

See also: Transfer Goto command

## **ACTION KEYS**

| (BREAK)<br>(CTRL)(C)     | Cancels present operation and returns to main command line menu.                                      |
|--------------------------|---|
| (ENTER)                  | Carries out a completed command selected by a function key.   |
| <u>F1</u> -( <u>F8</u> ) | Selects Multiplan commands  |
| (LABEL)                  | Displays the command line on the bottom line of the screen display.                                   |
| (TAB)                    | Moves to, and selects, entire contents of next field in a command line.                               |
| 1                        | Recalculates entire<br>worksheet. If typed in a<br>formula, the formula is<br>replaced by its result. |
| =                        | Tells Multiplan that the cell contains a formula.   |
| @                        | Changes relative cell   |

references to absolute

references.

## MULTIPLAN COMMANDS

# (F1) - Edit Command

Lets you edit contents of a cell and responses in command fields. You can select the Edit command from any other Multiplan command to edit your responses.

#### Modes:

Edit Mode lets you use the direction keys to move the edit cursor within the command field.

Value Mode lets you use the direction keys to enter cell references while editing a command field. Press [F1] twice to enter the value mode of the Edit command.

#### **Editina Keys**

F2 - Blank Command

BACKSPACE Dele

Deletes character to the left of the cursor

(DELETE)

Deletes character at current cursor position. Replacement text may be typed in.

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Moves the edit cursor left one character if in the Edit mode; otherwise, moves the cell pointer left one cell and enters cell reference into the command field.

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Moves the edit cursor right one character if in the Edit mode; otherwise, moves the cell pointer right one column and enters the cell reference into the command field.

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Value mode only. Moves the moves cell pointer down one row and enters the cell reference into the command field.

Value mode only. Moves cell pointer up one row and enters the cell reference into the command field.

Replaces the contents of the specified cell(s) with blanks.

BLANK cells: cell(s)

Multiplan uses the active cell as a proposed response.

F3 - Copy Command

Duplicates the contents of cell or group of cells.

RGHT DOWN FROM

Copy Right (F2) copies the contents of one or more cells to the specified number of cells to the right of the cell pointer.

RIGHT # cells: 1

at: RC

Copy Down (F3) copies the contents of one or more cells to the specified number of cells below the cell pointer.

DOWN # cells: 1

at: RC

Copy From ((F4)) copies the contents of one or more cells to another location.

FROM: RC

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to: RC

**Note:** RC denotes the current cell as Multiplan's proposed response.

#### (F4) - Format Command

Changes the display format or width of one or more cells.

Cell Wide

Format Cells (F2) lets you change the alignment and format.

Cells: RC #Dec: 2 Left Cen Rght Fix Gen \$

Format Width (F3) sets the column width of all cells. The width can be from 4 to 36. The default is 9.

WIDTH of cells: 9

## (F5) - Name Command

Assigns a name which can be used to identify one or more cells in a command or formula

NAME: refer to: RC

Note: RC denotes the current cell as Multiplan's proposed reponse.

Controls two Multiplan options and displays the contents or formula of the current cell

FORMULA: (formula of *RC*)

Calc ! Beep Mute

Calc recalculates all formulas when you change a cell.

recalculates all cells only when you press .

Mut e turns off the audible alarm that indicates errors.

Beep turns on the audible alarm that indicates errors.

## (F7) - Transfer Command

Loads a worksheet into memory, saves the active worksheet to cassette or disk, clears the active worksheet or moves the cell pointer.

Transfer Load (F2) loads a worksheet saved in Normal mode from either cassette or disk or a SYLK file from RAM. The active worksheet is replaced.

LOAD filename: filename
Norm SYLK

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Note: RC denotes the current cell as Multiplan's proposed response.

The filename may be:

CAS:filename saves the worksheet to cassette.
The filename is optional.

drive:filename saves the worksheet to disk.

Transfer Save (F3) saves the active worksheet to either cassette or disk in Normal mode or to RAM in SYLK mode.

SAVE filename: filename
Norm SYLK

The filename is the same as Transfer Load.

Transfer Clear (<u>F4</u>) clears all cells in the active worksheet.

CLEAR sheet - Enter Y to confirm:

Transfer Goto ((F5)) moves the cell pointer to the specified cell.

GOTO cell: RC

**Note:** RC denotes the current cell as Multiplan's proposed response.

## (F8) - Exit Muttiplan

Exits Multiplan and saves the active worksheet to RAM.

## (PASTE) - Insert

Lets you insert row(s) or column(s) in the worksheet before the specified cell.

PASTE #: 1 before: RC Row Col

## (PRINT) - Print Window

Prints the current window as displayed on the screen.

# SHIFT PRINT Print Worksheet

Prints all or a portion of the active worksheet using the specified width.

width: 70 from: R1:99

Note: RC denotes the current cell as Multiplan's proposed response.

## **FORMULAS**

Formulas are composed of constants, references to cells, and functions.

#### Cell References

| Rn or Cn         | Active row or column.   |
|------------------|---|
| RnCn             | Intersection of row and column.   |
| Rn:m or Cn:m     | Range of rows or columns.   |
| R[+n] or C[+n]   | Row n below the active row or the column n to the right of the active column.  The + sign may be omitted. |
| R[-n] or $C[-n]$ | Row n above the active row or the column n to the left of the active column.                              |
| RnCn,RnCn        | Union of two cells.   |

# Operations on Numeric and Text Values

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Percent

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| +   | Add            |   |
|-----|----------------|---|
| _   | Subtract       |   |
| 1   | Divide         | • |
| *   | Multiply       |   |
| A . | Exponentiation |   |

**Functions** 

ABS(n) Absolute value of n.

AND(list) True if all values in list are true; otherwise returns false.

ATAN(n) Arctangent of n in radians. AVERAGE(list) Average of values in list =

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COS(n)

Cosine of the angle n given in radians.

COLUMN()

Current column number.

COUNT(list) Number of values given as arguments or by reference.

EXP(n) e to the power n

FALSE() Logical value False

IF(logical, Then value, Else value)

Returns Then value if

logical is true: Else value if

logical is true; Else value if false.

INDEX(area, subscripts)

Returns the value from cell in area indicated by

subscripts.

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truncated toward 0. Returns True if value is an ISERROR(value) error value. Returns True if value is ISNA(value) #N/A value. Base e logarithm of n. LN(n) Base 10 logarithm of n. LOG 10(n) LOOKUP(value,table) Searches for value in the first row or or column of table. Returns the contents of a cell from the last row or column of table. Table is a group of cells on the worksheet. The dimensions of table determine the direction of the search. Table of Columns х х 5 500 value between number returned 1000 and 1499 Х Х 1500 9 Х 13 2000 X Х 17 2500 Х 22 3000 Х

Integer portion of n

INT(n)

MAX(list) Largest values in list. MIN(list) Smallest values in list. MOD(divisor.dividend) Remainder of the integer division of dividend/divisor. NA() Returns the #N/A (not available) value. NOT(logical) Returns the opposite of the logical value.

NPV(rate\_list) Net present value of cash flow represented by the values in list.

OR(list) True if any value in list is true: otherwise returns false.

Value of pi (3.14159...). PI()

ROUND(n,m) n rounded to m decimal. places.

ROW() Current row number

SIGN(n)Returns -1 if n<0, 0 if

n=0, otherwise 1 is returned.

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4000 4500 SIN(n) Sine of the angle n

specified in radians.

SORT(n) Square root of n.

STDEV(list) Standard deviation of the

values in list.

SUM(list) Sum of values in list.

TAN(n) Tangent of the angle n.

TRUE() The logical value True.

#### **Error Values**

#N/A Data not available.

#NAME? Name not defined.

#NUM! Overflow or illegal

arithmetic.

#DIV/0 Division by 0.

#REF! Reference to nonexistent

cell.

#NULL! Intersection of disjoint

areas.

#VALUE! Wrong type of value used.

#### DELETING FILES

All files are deleted using the KILL command in RASIC.

- At the Model 100 Main Menu, place the cursor over BASIC and press (ENTER).
- 2. Type KILL "name.ext" (ENTER).
- Type MENU ENTER (or press F8 to return to the Model 100 Main Menu. The deleted file should no longer be on the Model 100 Main Menu.